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Subject: RE: EPA letter Date: 10/07/2011 04:34 PM

Thanks Chip and Kristine. Jen, please forward to Exec, Legal, and the FS consultant. Jim.

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From: Humphrey.Chip@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Humphrey.Chip@epamail.epa.gov]
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Bob and Jim,

Attached is EPA's response to the LWG's request for an extension of the deadline to submit the draft FS Report. As noted in the letter, although we are disappointed at the length of extension that was requested, we are providing a conditional approval of the request, conditioned on early submittal of some key elements of the draft FS. We trust that this direction will provide a workable path forward that meets the needs of both parties of both parties.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Chip Humphrey EPA

(See attached file: Schedule for FS Portland Harbor 10072011.pdf)